

ROIT/CARBONATE REPORT

8 April 1955

Date, Time, and Place of Meetings: 7 April 55, 1900-2100, CARBO's Apt.

Present: a. CARBONATE b. ☐

1. CARBONATE noted that SFS activity aimed at CADROIT had increased very substantially in the recent month. It is obvious that a new policy of expansion of such activity is being implemented. This is not restricted to CADROIT, apparently. The Stein and Fricke cases ~~xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx~~ are other indications of increased SFS activity. ~~xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx~~ Four new SFS attempt to make contact with CADROIT staffers. In this connection, CARBO submitted the following written reports:

a. Report of third and most recent SFS attempt re Dr. Berger, chief of Economics Section. On 6 Apr he received a letter from his mother and father-in-law (still in the DDR). ~~xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx~~ Such letters in the past have always come over a cover dress. This one was sent direct in clear name. The parents write that they have been visited by the police who have requested them to visit Berger in order to persuade him to return to the DDR. It is believed that he would be offered Dr. Riegers planning job in Halle (Berger formerly had a very substantial planning position in the DDR). The parents will visit Berger on Ascension day. Berger instructed his wife to answer that visit by the father and mother in law would be welcome. We can expect that the latter will probably visit Berger and his wife at SFS initiative.

b. Report/Maria Jutta von Willich, secy. in security section, that a young man had appeared on 2 Apr. at her former address and stated that ~~xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx~~ he had to see von W. The young man did not give his name. On 4 Apr. a man in a messenger's uniform appeared in von W's present address with some medicine which von W had supposedly ordered and a number of accompanying papers. He was sent away with the answer that no such medicine had been ordered and did not come back. ~~xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx~~ CARBO also submitted a copy of the contact report written re the visit earlier reported of a man who had overheard two East zoneers giving instructions to a third man in a restaurant near Titania Palace. These instructions had concerned von W and CADROIT. Von W has not been informed of this latter incident.

c. Report of visit to ~~xxxxxx~~ Blum of CADROIT by his East Berlin residing cousin at the behest of the SFS. ~~xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx~~ The cousin stated that the SFS had given ~~xxxxxx~~ him the SFI of determining life re Blum's present status, particularly his address. Blum instructed his cousin to reply to the SFS that it had been impossible to learn the address since the West Berlin police would not give it to him and there was no other way to discover it. CARBO believed that this was the first SFS approach to Blum.

2. C reported orally upon a fourth SFS approach for which he did not yet have a written report. Haynes of CADROIT was approached by a friend of his son. The friend had been approached by the SFS and given the task of attempting to recruit Haynes. The friend had fled to West Berlin because of this SFS approach to him. Full written report to come in later.

3. CARBO reported orally that the name of the MA who had supplied info re VOPD lift officers had been Karl Krueger, DOB 16/12/17. Address: Gottbus, Puschkin Promenade. This is in answer to a ZIPPER request for identity.

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4. The recent cases of Stein of RIAS and Fricke have caused a good bit of comment within CADROIT. Many staffers are wondering who in CADROIT will be next (a common reaction after such cases).

5. CARBO noted that Abt. V had made a mistake in the Fricke case. They had released Trittman due to lack of evidence, ~~without~~ without checking with CADROIT to see what the latter had. CADROIT had considerable derog material in its B Kartel on Trittman. [ ] suggested that this opportunity be taken to establish a ~~maximum~~ regular and firm procedure under which Abt. V would name trace with CADROIT in all similar cases before releasing due to lack of evidence. ~~Maximum~~ CARBO agreed. He will speak to ~~Max~~ Wierich of Abt. V. ~~Max~~ Madell can see Weisemann, if necessary. This discussion ~~showed~~ developed that Abt. V had made attempts to make copies of all ~~B-Kartel~~ CADROIT B Kartel material during 1953 (with CADROIT's concurrence, of course). Attempts had later been made to keep Abt. V current on derog material assembled later by CADROIT. An Abt. V man had come to CADROIT one day a week to copy cards. However, Abt. V is not at all complete. This turned out to be one of those ~~common situations where what was needed was not more high level brain power, but more hands and legs. The only real solution is to have~~ common situations where what was needed was not more high level brain power, but more hands and legs. The only real solution is to have Abt V name trace with CADROIT in all similar cases.

6. A check showed that CARBO sits in room No. 40 within CADROIT.

7. [ ] had earlier discussed getting CADROIT's copy of the VOPO Faindungsbuch for CART to copy. This would be a lot of work and would deprive CADROIT of material which is in constant use. Was it worth it? Perhaps it would be necessary to reproduce only the most recent additions to the book. Discussions with CART showed that there was little real interest in the book. [ ] therefore instructed CARBO that the matter was closed.

8. Re the SFS files which [ ] will get from CARBO: These will be turned over after Easter.

9. CARBO is still very busy due to OHLEN's being on leave. Ohlsen will return next Sunday, after which a number of items which have ~~been~~ backed up can be taken up again.

10. NEXT MEETING: 14 Apr 55, 1900, same place.

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